

young people as they participate in the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and the Youth Usher programs. Fourth Baptist also participates with the Baptist General Convention of Virginia to conduct outreach ministries throughout Greater Richmond and the Commonwealth of Virginia.

I would like to congratulate Chairman of the Board of Deacons Gerard A. Dabney, Interim Pastor Dr. Marion Tapscott, and the entire congregation of Fourth Street Baptist on the occasion of their 150th anniversary. I would like to wish them another 150 years of service to their community.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. GEOFF DAVIS

OF KENTUCKY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I secured as part of H.R. 2996, the Department of Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman GEOFF DAVIS

Bill Number: H.R. 2996

Account: STAG

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Wurtland

Address of Requesting Entity: 500 Wurtland Avenue, Wurtland, Kentucky 41144

Description of Request: Appropriate \$500,000 for the Wurtland/Greenup/Lloyd Regional Sewer project. This project will extend sewers to underserved areas and decommission one WWTP consolidating service with a more modern regional facility. The project serves approximately 3,200 people and will accommodate growth and expansion. Completion of the project will improve health and environmental conditions in the region. In addition, it will eliminate two package plants & approximately 520 septic systems. The Kentucky Infrastructure Authority and the Greenup County Fiscal Court have committed \$1.37 million to this project. This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will reduce pollution in local streams that flow into the Ohio River and will help the community comply with federal environmental standards.

#### IN RECOGNITION OF THE PASSING OF DAN MCKENZIE

### HON. JEFF MILLER

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. MILLER of Florida. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Dan McKenzie, a Northwest Florida community leader and businessman who passed away on June 22, 2009. Mr. McKenzie spent his entire life serving his community and family. I am proud to honor his life of dedication and service.

Mr. McKenzie grew up in Pineapple, Alabama, the son of a sawmill owner. He chose to branch out and not follow in the family business, instead trying his hand at ranching. As

a young man, continuing health issues forced him to seek medical care in Foley, Alabama where he was told he would have to leave the area completely in order to regain his health. He spent the night in Milton, Florida and said he was never sick again. Milton became his permanent home after his miraculous recovery, where he became entrenched in the local business community.

Upon settling in Milton, Mr. McKenzie began a new career in the automotive industry. His first day on the job, he sold a brand new Mercury sedan for \$3,000. From there, he built a family owned automotive business that still stands to this day. For over 40 years, McKenzie Pontiac GMC Buick has provided for the automotive needs of the people of Northwest Florida. Billing themselves as a hometown dealership, their motto of "We will treat you like family" was a promise and not just a slogan.

Mr. McKenzie was not only a businessman, but a dedicated family man. In 1945, he married his childhood sweetheart, Mary Till, and often credited her as his inspiration. They were the parents of five daughters. Sadly, Dianne passed away at the age of 9, but left to cherish his memory are Janet, Linda, Lisa and Dana.

Madam Speaker, on behalf of the United States Congress, I am privileged to honor Mr. Dan McKenzie as a man reflective of the true spirit of Northwest Florida. Mr. McKenzie will be remembered by all as a loving husband and father, a successful businessman and an important part of our Northwest Florida community.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. K. MICHAEL CONAWAY

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. CONAWAY. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2996—FY 2010 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act.

In the Environmental Protection Agency STAG Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Project account, an earmark for the City of Andrews arsenic filtration pilot project was included on my behalf. The entity to receive this funding is the City of Andrews, Texas. Andrews City Hall is located at 111 Logsdon, Andrews, TX, 79714. The funding would create a pilot program for demonstrating an alternative method to achieve EPA mandates for arsenic mitigation in rural public drinking water systems through the use of under-the-counter reverse-osmosis filtration systems.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. JIM GERLACH

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. GERLACH. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part

of H.R. 2996, Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010.

City of Reading Wastewater Treatment Plant, Reading PA—\$500,000 for upgrades to address environmental issues as required by Department of Justice Consent Decree.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. DON YOUNG

OF ALASKA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2996, the fiscal year 2010 Interior, Environment and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill:

Requesting Member: Congressman DON YOUNG

Bill Number: H.R. 2996, FY10 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill

Account: Fish and Wildlife Services/Fisheries.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Alaska Sea Otter and Stellar Sea Lion Commission.

Address of Requesting Entity: P.O. Box 142, Old Harbor, Alaska 99643.

Description of Request: \$200,000 for the Alaska Sea Otter and Stellar Sea Lion Commission. The Alaska Sea Otter and Stellar Sea Lion Commission is an Alaska Native organization that works to ensure conservation, co-management, education, and artistic development of sea otters and sea lions. It is my understanding that this funding would facilitate the development of a co-management plan for sea otters and sea lions by local communities in the interest of sustainable populations and increasing involvement in subsistence management.

Requesting Member: Congressman DON YOUNG

Bill Number: H.R. 2996, FY10 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill

Account: Fish and Wildlife Service/Resource Management.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Alaska Sealife Center.

Address of Requesting Entity: P.O. Box 1329, Seward, Alaska 99664.

Description of Request: \$350,000 for the Sealife Center's Eider Research Program. It is my understanding that the funding for this project would be used to integrate the Sealife Center's marine research facilities with field research to help recover the Stellar and Spectacled Eider, and support the Recovery Team mandated by the Endangered Species Act.

#### IN RECOGNITION OF THE NORTHEAST OHIO SIERRA CLUB

### HON. DENNIS J. KUCINICH

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 26, 2009

Mr. KUCINICH. Madam Speaker, I rise today in recognition of the Northeast Ohio Sierra Club and applaud their efforts to raise